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## KIDNAP VICTIM SAFE: MAN-HUNT BEGINS

Tacoma, Wash.—June 1st dawned cold and wet. A game little boy trudged six miles to the farmhouse of John Bonifas, chicken rancher. When Bonifas opened the door the youngster piped, "I'm the little boy who was kidnapped." When it heard the news America breathed a sigh of relief. Federal men unleashed the full force of their complicated machinery for hunting down the kidnapers of 9-year-old George Weyerhaeuser; \$200,000 was the price of the youngster's freedom. Since May 7th, John Phillip Weyerhaeuser, one of the heirs to a \$1,000,000,000 lumber fortune, and his family, had made frantic appeals to the kidnapers in the pages of the Seattle Post-Intelligencer: "Due publicity beyond our control, please indicate another method of reaching you. Hurry, relieve anguished mother." May 29th was the deadline for the ransom payment. On the 30th an unknown man entered the Weyerhaeuser home with three mystery cardboard boxes, a foot square, two inches deep. Still a family spokesman lamented: "We haven't heard thing." On May 31st seven days had passed since little George vanished, thus permitting Federal prosecution of the criminals under the Lindbergh Law. Next day the child was turned loose on a lonely road 5 miles northeast of Tacoma. Authorities suspect Alvin Karpis, current Public Enemy Number One and snatcher of Edward Bremer—also for \$200,000. Three of George Weyerhaeuser's captors, called each other Harry, Bill and Allen. Officials think George might have mistaken "Alvin" for "Allen," but some suspect the names a ruse to place the guilt on Karpis.

## QUETTA'S QUAKE

Baluchistan, India—"For half a minute," said a British officer who arrived, "the earth seemed to go mad." At 3 A. M. on day last week the town of Quetta, Baluchistan, woke to find the earth heaving beneath it. Everywhere buildings were crashing, burying scores of victims in the tangled wreckage. More than 40 British aviators and squadron of planes were lost, when the Royal Air Force barracks collapsed. Shrieking natives stampeded into narrow streets praying wildly to Rama, their god. When the dust finally settled nature had taken a heavy toll. As estimated 1,000 natives and 200 whites lost their lives in the quake. Quetta's fertile valley was ravaged together with surrounding telegraph and railroad lines. Doctors and nurses worked themselves to exhaustion. Two days later the Indian Government issued a communique ordering abandonment of Quetta. It is estimated that 20,000 corpses remain beneath the debris.

## AMERICA 3.6% NEARER RECOVERY

Washington, D. C.—Harry L. Hopkins, Federal Emergency Administrator reports an encouraging drop in the number of families on relief. In March, '35, 4,419,600 were receiving emergency aid throughout the country. This dropped to 250,423 in April, a decrease of 94%. The trend is fairly general, being found in all but ten of the states. New Mexico, with a drop of 77% and Mississippi with 17.1% show the greatest percentage of decrease.

## MON SILENT ON HITLER'S PLANS

London, England—Germany, surrounded by an antagonistic Europe, is silent on Hitler's plans.

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## BETHEL AND VICINITY

T. F. Vail is working at Bethel Inn.

Miss Marion Hutchins is working at Rowe's store.

Frank Brown of South Portland was in Bethel, Sunday.

Mrs. Moses Brown of Portland is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold King were in Lewiston, Saturday.

Mrs. Euberto Brown is ill at her home on Chapman Street.

Mrs. Ruth Glines Coker of Philadelphia is visiting in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wheeler were in Augusta, Monday.

A new floor was laid in the lobby of the post office Wednesday.

Miss Eleanor Lyon is working for Mrs. Gilbert Brown for a few weeks.

J. W. Carter has returned to Bethel Inn as pro at the golf course.

Miss Hilja McKeen is spending a few days at her home at West Paris.

Richard Clifford was home over the week end from Gorham Normal School.

Mrs. Harry Mason of Boston is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Park.

Harlan Hutchins was at home from Wilson's Mills, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Home Cooking made to order. Brunch's Luncheonette, on Lower Church Street.

Mrs. C. O. Demeritt and daughter Louise, and Edward Poole were at Errol, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hall and children visited relatives at Colebrook, N. H., Sunday.

Sherman F. Flu, of Haverhill, Mass., is visiting his nephew, Dr. S. S. Greenleaf, and family.

Mrs. Annie Craig has returned home after a ten days' visit at Chesterville and Farmington.

Daniel Sullivan was an over night guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hutchinson, Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Eva Bean of Hartford, Conn., was in town Sunday and attended the baccalaureate services.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ladd are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Sunday, June 2.

Albert Smith of New York City spent a few days last week with his brother, Edmund C. Smith and family.

Mrs. Jesse Doyen and two children of Farmington are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jones and two children were guests over the holiday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Bean.

Mrs. Theodore Hovey and two children of Wilson's Mills are the weeks' guest of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Chapman.

Mrs. R. A. Clifford went to Verona, Saturday, where she will remain for the summer with her brother, Hiram Danforth.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lapham and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Deroshe of Rumford were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lapham.

The Fortier Construction Co. is building a service station for H. E. Chase at Fryeburg, and a boat house for J. B. Chapman at Songo Pond.

The Lions Club met at Maple Inn, Monday evening for the regular meeting and banquet. Rev. H. T. Wallace was the speaker of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bean, Rumford; Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Bean and daughter, Kingfield; John Noyes, Greenwood; and Fred Waterhouse, West Paris; were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bean and family.

Mrs. E. J. Webster, Chesterville; Clarence Perry, a student at Farmington Normal School; Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Greenleaf of Madison; and Mrs. Alice Scott of Aroostook County; were week end guests of Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf and family.

## PROFESSOR QUIMBY BACCALAUREATE SPEAKER

Professor Brooks Quimby, Coach of Debating in Bates College, delivered the Baccalaureate Sunday address to the graduating class of Gould Academy last Sunday in the Congregational Church. Many friends and relatives of the graduates were present and heard an especially fine address. The march and other organ music was played by Mrs. F. E. Russell. The girls' glee club, under the direction of Miss Ruth Leavengood, rendered two musical selections, for which Miss Rosalind Rowe acted as accompanist. The exercises were conducted by Rev. H. T. Wallace.

## VOITURE LOCALE 40 AND 8 INSTITUTED HERE MONDAY

The initiation and installation of officers of the newly formed Oxford County Voiture, 40 and 8, took place Monday evening at the rooms of George A. Mundt Post, American Legion. The exercises were in charge of Grand Chef de Gare C. Eugene Fogg, and Kennebec Voiture, under Chief de Gare Savage, exemplified the degreess. Thirteen members were initiated.

The officers of the new organization are:

- Chief de Gare — John J. Flynn, Norway
- Chief de Train—Earle R. Clifford, South Paris
- Correspondant—Eugene VanDenKerkchoven, Bethel
- Commissaire Intendant—George P. Corrow, Dixfield
- Conductor—G. Douglass Clark, Rumford
- Lampiste—Lawrence H. Brett, Oxford
- Grand Cheminot—Herbert R. Bean, Bethel

A buffet lunch followed the meeting. The 40 and 8 is a high rank of the American Legion and its membership is composed of those who have shown deep interest in the order.

## BETHEL POTATO COMMITTEE WILL DISCUSS MARKETING

A committee of five potato growers in the Bethel area will meet with R. N. Atherton, Marketing Specialist, on Saturday, June 8, to discuss the possibility of some marketing organization for their locality. This committee consists of William Chapman 2d, chairman, R. D. Hastings, Guy Bartlett, E. C. Smith, and Chester Ladd. It is the same group that met on March 7, with A. K. Gardner, Crops Specialist, C. N. Turner, Agricultural Engineer, and County Agent R. F. Blanchard to discuss the problems of Bethel potato growers and work out a program which might bring them more assistance from the Extension Service. At this time the premium paid for Bethel potatoes was discussed and it was the feeling of the committee that the high quality raised by the Bethel growers should be identified by a suitable brand. This brought up the possibility of a marketing organization. Whether or not such an organization will be possible or advisable will be discussed by the committee and Mr. Atherton will offer his suggestions.

## STILES ELECTED CAPTAIN NEXT YEAR'S TRACK TEAM

At a meeting of the track lettermen on Monday Dwight Stiles of Dummer, N. H., was elected captain of track for 1936. Stiles is a member of the present junior class and came to Gould from Tilton where he spent his freshman year. He has specialized in the 100 and 220 yard dashes and has turned in time in these events which compares favorably with the best high school dash men in the state. He has also garnered a good number of points in the broad jump this past season; as well as competing in the javelin throw in which event he bids fair to gather valuable points for his team next spring.

## SUPERIOR COURT CONVENES AT SOUTH PARIS NEXT WEEK

The Superior Court will convene at South Paris next Tuesday, June 11, at 10 o'clock standard time, Judge Harry Manser presiding. The traverse jurors will report June 13.

The grand jurors drawn in November to serve one year are:

- Stephen E. Abbott, Bethel
- W. C. Bryant, Gilead
- Albert Brooks, Brownfield
- William A. Burgess, Roxbury
- Chester, Cummings, Hanover
- Otis Curtis, Sumner
- Natalie E. Davis, Rumford
- Fannie Eastman, Paris
- Elizabeth Glines, Rumford
- Annie M. Goodwin, Norway
- Leroy P. Hale, Denmark
- Quimby D. Millett, Oxford
- Winfield H. Noyes, Woodstock
- Orrington J. Rowe, Lovell
- Frank D. Sturtevant, Hebron
- C. Frederick Tripp, Jr., Canton
- Nellie Thompson, Fryeburg
- Illian Virgin, Mexico

The following will be impanelled as traverse jurors:

- Andover, Clarence H. Bailey
- Bethel, Carroll E. Abbott
- Buckfield, W. V. Redding
- Brownfield—Chester Gilpatrick
- Canton, Lyman Ellis
- Dixfield, Edith Holt
- Fryeburg—Clarence Ela
- Gilead, A. T. Heath
- Greenwood, L. E. Cole
- Hartford, Harold E. Parsons
- Hebron, E. E. Hutchinson
- Hiram, Eli C. Wadsworth
- Lovell, Stella G. McKeen
- Mexico, Leon Thomas
- Mexico, Carl E. Towle
- Newry, George F. Learned
- Norway, Bert L. Hutchins
- Norway, Mrs. Blanch Hunt
- Oxford, Wilfred K. Perkins
- Paris, Carlton P. Dunham
- Paris, William E. Kenney
- Peru, Mabelle S. Robinson
- Porter, Harry Cutting
- Roxbury, Everett Shaw
- Rumford, Katherine B. Butterfield
- Rumford, Hattie C. Israelson
- Sweden, R. O. Moulton
- Upton, Leslie Fuller
- Waterford, Willis E. McKeen
- Woodstock, James D. Billings

## SURPRISE DINNER PARTY FOR MRS. BLACKWOOD

Mrs. S. N. Blackwood of Bethel Inn was the guest of honor at a dinner party at the Hubbard House, Paris Hill, Monday, the occasion being in honor of her birthday. Arrangements were made by Mrs. Guy Thurston and Mrs. Paul Thurston. It was a complete surprise to Mrs. Blackwood, who had been invited to go to the Hubbard House for dinner. The party consisted of 22, nearly all of whom arrived ahead of the guest of honor and were seated in the parlor awaiting her arrival and were ready with congratulations of the day.

During the dinner hour, Mrs. Blackwood received many letters and telegrams of congratulations. A poem written and read by Mrs. W. B. Twaddle was much enjoyed. The guest of honor received a sterling silver monogrammed nut bowl which was accompanied by a card bearing the names of the donors. Following the dinner and program, cards were enjoyed.

## BOWDOIN RE-ELECTED AT JOINT MEETING

At a joint meeting of the Bethel-Gilead-Greenwood School District at the grammar school building on Wednesday evening, Superintendent E. R. Bowdoin was re-elected.

Mrs. Charles Cole and son Clyde Lowe of Yarmouth were calling in town Tuesday. They attended the graduation of Mr. Lowe's daughter from Woodstock high school.

Mrs. Eva Fox, who has been visiting friends at South Paris was calling in town the first of the week before returning to the home of Mrs. A. M. Bean at East Bethel.

Mrs. F. E. Hanscom is recovering from severe bruises received last Friday when she fell down a flight of stairs in a store at Rumford. A trained nurse is in attendance.

## CITIZEN CELEBRATES 40TH ANNIVERSARY

The Bethel News Established June 5, 1895 by A. D. Elligwood—Combined with Rumford Citizen in 1907.

Forty years ago yesterday was a notable event in Bethel's history, for on that date the first issue of The Bethel News was published. For over 30 years the town had been without a newspaper, The Bethel Courier having ceased publication in the early sixties. In the intervening years intimate history was recorded by the Democrat at Paris and the Advertiser at Norway, but it was felt that the local field was not adequate to support a weekly newspaper. The Bethel News was popular from the beginning. Its able founder, Mr. Elligwood, received the encouraging support of both subscribers and advertisers and the News, and its successor, the Citizen, have long been accepted as a permanent institution.

The Bethel of 1895 was without electric lights and telephones; the New England telephone wires were put through in September of that year. The Bethel Water Company's pipes had been in use less than five years and rural mail delivery was not to come for several years. Post offices were still maintained at North, South and East Bethel. Automobiles, garages, and service stations were unheard of, but the sale of bicycles was booming. That summer the Grand Trunk railroad began the installation of couplers and air brakes; the Norway-South Paris electric railway was built. The stores were open every evening, but a group of merchants decided to close two nights a week through the summer.

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## BENEFIT GAME AND DANCE FOR ROBERT CHAPMAN

The Bethel Athletic Association is sponsoring a benefit dance for Robert Chapman, who was hurt in the Memorial Day game at Bryant Pond. The dance will be held at the Bethel Grange Hall, Wednesday, June 13, and all are urged to attend.

Next Monday evening at 5:30 a benefit game, Bethel vs. Bryant Pond, will be played at Bethel.

## TOWN OF MASON VOTES TO DISORGANIZE

The adjourned annual meeting of the town of Mason was held Monday. The officers of last year were re-elected, and it was decided to give up the town charter and become an unorganized township. It was voted to raise money to pay current expenses until the first of July, when a meeting will be called to settle the town's affairs.

## Officers

- Selectmen—Edmund C. Smith, Ernest H. Morrill, Eli A. Grover
- Clerk—Edmund C. Smith
- Treasurer and Collector—Viola G. Morrill
- School Committee—Edmund C. Smith
- Road Commissioner—Ernest H. Morrill

| Appropriations |          |
|----------------|----------|
| Schools,       | \$200.00 |
| Textbooks,     | 25.00    |
| Roads,         | 125.00   |
| Poor,          | 1200.00  |

## A. R. MASON & SON'S

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Aster, Betunia, Calendula, Patient Lucy

## PLANTS

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Robert Chapman Benefit  
**DANCE**  
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10th  
GRANGE HALL, BETHEL  
Admission, 35c





Walter Harold Grover  
President  
Charles O. Smith  
Vice-President  
Margaret Julia Hamlin  
Secretary  
Josephine Eveleth Thurston  
Treasurer

## GOULD ACADEMY NOTES

Sixty-four people, including members of the Girl Reserves and their mothers, attended the Installation Service and Farewell Ceremonial for the Seniors. Twenty-two Seniors received their candles and 15 received the Y. W. C. A. pins which they had earned. Those receiving the gold candle for four years of service were: Josephine Thurston, Kathryn Brinck, Beatrice Merrill, Florine Bean, Margaret Hamlin, Jeanette Sanborn, Frances Adams, Marion Brinck, Muriel Brinck, Dorothy Hutchinson, Mary Sanborn and Betty Edwards. The blue candles of loyalty for three years' membership were given to Mary Bean and Elizabeth Bean. Bessie Bartlett, Lois Bartlett, and Jane Linton received the rose candle for two years of enthusiasm. Barbara Myers, Berenice Leighton, Marguerite Deegan, Frances Morrill, and Sylvia Merrill were given the white candle of interest for one year's membership. Y. W. C. A. pins were awarded to Josephine Thurston, Margaret Hamlin, Jane Linton, Beatrice Merrill, Florine Bean, Kathryn Brinck, Frances Adams, Jeanette Sanborn, Marion Brinck, Muriel Brinck, Marguerite Deegan, Berenice Leighton, Barbara Myers, Frances Morrill and Miss Litchfield.

The following officers were installed: Phyllis Davis, president; Evelyn Hunt, vice-president; Persis Adams, secretary; Pauline LaRue, treasurer; Rosalind Rowe, chairman program committee; Rita Hutchins, chairman of social committee; Constance Philbrook, chairman of music committee; Barbara Moore, chairman of poster committee; Dorothy Irish, chairman of service committee; Marian King, reporter.

In Assembly Monday morning Principal Frank E. Hanson, assisted by Track Coach Fossett,

awarded track letters to the following track men: Captain Walter Grover, Howard Thurston, Fred-eric MacMillan, Charles Smith, Arthur Gilbert, Willard Wight, Robert Browne, Russell Burris, Dwight Stiles, Manager Stanley Brown.

## EAST STONEHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chaplin and daughter Arlene drove to Conway, N. H., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lang of Newtonville, Mass., are at their camp for a short stay.

Mrs. Charles Hamilton and friend of Elizabeth, N. J., who have been at the Trout Lake Camps for the past week, have returned to their home in New Jersey.

Millon Roseneau of Cambridge, Mass., is at his camp for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merrill have moved to the upstairs rent in the house with his sister, Mrs. Chester Holt, at North Waterford. Mrs. Irving Morey and baby girl have returned from the C. M. G. Hospital and are with her mother, Mrs. James Merrill, for a few days.

Mrs. Curtis Bickford and Mrs. Blanche McKen were the guests of their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Adams of Bridgton, Sunday.

Mrs. Grace Allen and daughter Dorothy, also Mrs. Howard Allen of Lovell were callers at Curtis Bickford's Sunday.

The annual meeting of the Union Association of Congregational Churches and Ministers will be held at the Congregational Church at East Stoneham Wednesday, June 5.

According to a dairy survey here in Maine, the farmers selling milk averaged to raise one replacement for every 9.1 cows kept.

Eggs should be put down in water glass now before prices go up. Even though you do have hens these stored eggs will make it possible to sell more eggs when prices are high.

## GOULD PLACES THIRD AMONG 18 SCHOOLS IN STATE TRACK MEET

The Gould track team, constantly in the bid for victory in the state track championships held in Portland last Saturday, emerged with third place honors in the battle against 18 schools representing various sections of the state. Not considered at all strong at the beginning of the season, due largely to the loss of four letter-men from last year's squad, the Gould team started off the season by trimming their old rivals, Norway, 60½-47½. The following Saturday they placed second against five teams in the Oxford County Interscholastics, being beaten by the State Championship Rumford high team.

In the State Championships last Saturday, aided by the point gathering of Captain Walter Grover, Bob Browne, Howard Thurston, Dwight Stiles, and Russell Burris, the Gould team rolled up 21 points to 27 for Lincoln Academy, 24 for Winslow High who were last year's champions, while 15 other schools trailed with from 15 points for Kennebunk to 0 for Mexico and Phillips. Had MacMillan and Wight added their expected donations in the 880 and weights, the score would at least have been much closer. The Gould relay team, consisting of Stiles, Grover, Burris, and Browne, led their opponents to the tape by a good 15 yards to cop relay team honors for class B schools. Gould trackmen gathered the following points:

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| Captain Walter Grover,          | 3  |
| second in the discus,           | 2  |
| third in the hammer,            | 1½ |
| first in relay,                 |    |
| Bob Browne,                     | 3  |
| second in the 440,              | 1  |
| fourth in the javelin,          | 1½ |
| first in relay,                 |    |
| Howard Thurston,                | 3  |
| second in the high jump,        | 2  |
| third in the high hurdles,      |    |
| Dwight Stiles,                  | 1  |
| fourth in the 100,              | 1  |
| fourth in broad jump,           | 1½ |
| first in relay,                 | 1½ |
| Russell Burris, first in relay, |    |
| Total,                          | 21 |

## WEST STONEHAM

Mrs. Enid Melrose, son George and friends from Massachusetts are spending a few days at her place.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Barrows and sister, Frances Ayers and friend, of South Paris were callers at John Adams' Wednesday.

George Melrose was a caller at John D. Grover's Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Wilhelm and Mr. Nelson have returned to New Jersey for a while. Osma Abbott and George Melrose were callers at John Adams' Saturday.

Albert Adams is helping Charles Carley do his spring work.

Charles Carley is working to Fred Hersey in the mill at East Stoneham.

## NORTH LOVELL

Deferred

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Smith and daughter visited at her parents' Mr. and Mrs. Jess Adams' over the week end.

Visitors at Amos McKen's Sunday, May 19th, were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Curtis, Clara, Dorothy and Erlon Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newcomb and Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Flint from Lynchville; Edward Mills from Fryeburg, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tucker and two children from Norway, Mr. and Mrs. Lord and two children from North Waterford, Mr. and Mrs. Carrie Curtis from East Stoneham, and Curtis Winslow from Bethel. It was Mr. McKen's birthday.

Mrs. Georgia McKen has been visiting at Perley McKen's.

The Cottage Service was held Sunday night, May 19th, at Herbert McAlister's and May 26th at the home of Bert Fogg. Mr. Brand was the speaker.

Howard Raymond has been sick with the mumps.

Amos McKen, who has been laid up with neuritis, is gaining now.

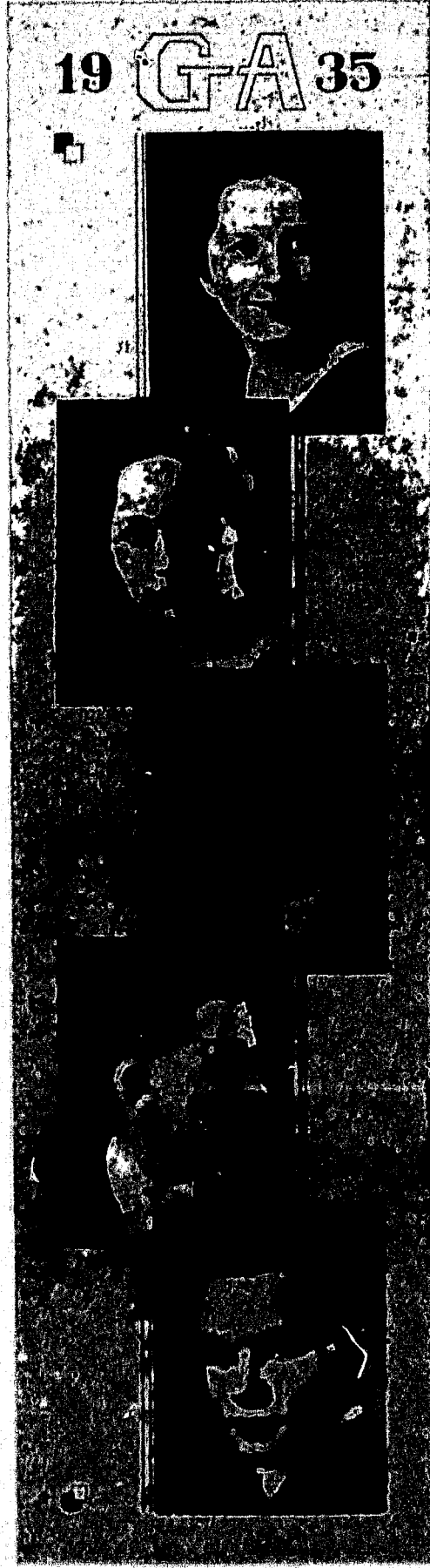
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bryant have moved to Fred Littlefield's camp at Albany.



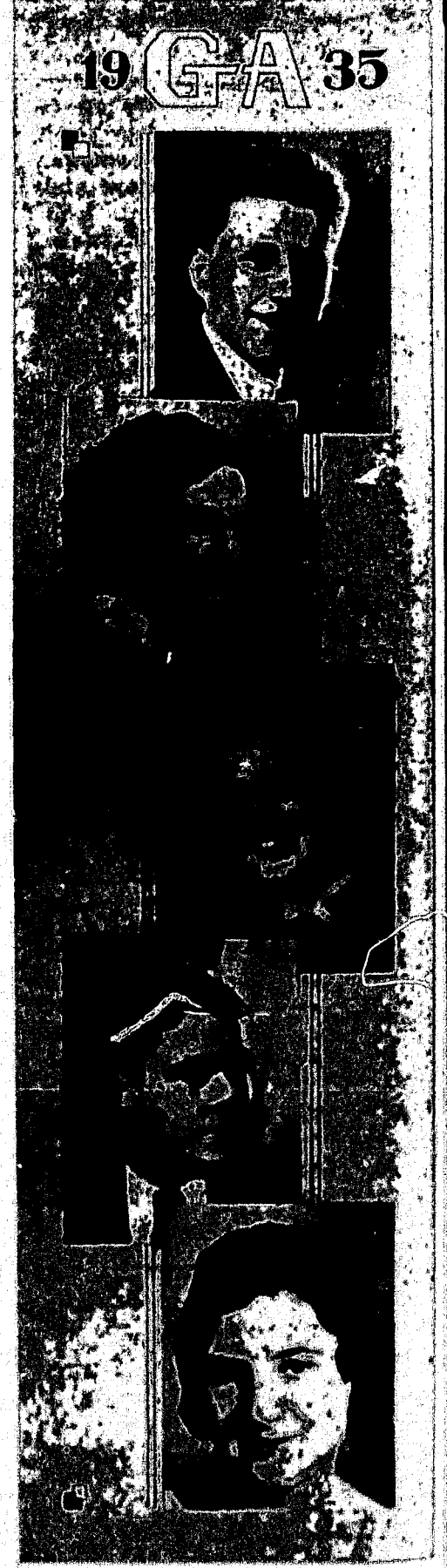
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Edwin Herman Bennett  
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Kathryn Rena Brinck



Marion Adelle Brinck  
Muriel Elizabeth Brinck  
Edwin Leslie Brown  
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TEN FAVORITE HYMNS  
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E. S. Ufford

Throw out the Life-Line across the dark wave,  
There is a brother whom some one should save;  
Somebody's brother! oh, who then, will dare  
To throw out the Life-Line, his peril to share?

## CHORUS

Throw out the Life-Line! Throw out the Life-Line!  
Some one is drifting away!  
Throw out the Life-Line! Throw out the Life-Line!  
Some one is sinking today.

Throw out the Life-Line to danger-fraught men,  
Sinking in anguish where you've never been;  
Winds of temptation and billows of woe  
Will soon hurl them out where the dark waters flow.

## NEWRY

Callers last Sunday at Roger Foster's were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Noyes of Bethel, Allen Walker and family, Benton Swan and John Spinney of North Bethel. Callers Memorial Day at Walter Powers' were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bailey of South Paris, Charles Frost of Bethel, Harold Taylor and friend from South Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eames of Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Douglass of Hanover were in town last week calling.

The timber on the so-called Dudley lot across Bear River has been sold and a crew will begin work here soon.

Robert Foster of Sunday River and son called at H. R. Powers' last Thursday.

George Larned and Rexford Powers were at Rumford Point Saturday night.

## NORTH NEWRY

John Matthews and family of Malden, Mass., were at their camp here over Memorial Day. They will be returning here in about three weeks for the summer.

Francis Vail has moved his family here from New Hampshire. They have a rent at her father's, H. H. Morton's.

Quite a number attended the Farm Bureau whist party at Poplar Tavern last Saturday night.

During the storm Friday the lightning played havoc here, causing damage to telephones. One bolt entered J. L. Ferren's house near the telephone, splitting some of the clapboards and starting the ceiling off. Inside the bolt seemed to follow the light pipe and entered the ground from that.

Ennicking Long and a party of eight are at Wight's Brook Camps for a few days' fishing. All are from Springfield, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Currier of Andover called at F. W. Wight's and at L. E. Wight's, Saturday afternoon, on their way to Errol, N. H., where they have employment for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wight, Miss Frances Lane, Miss Althea Sweeney and Daniel Wight went to Portland Saturday.

Earle Wildes was a week end guest at L. E. Wight's. Mr. Wildes climbed Old Spec Sunday, returning to his school at Pownal on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Soule of Burlington, Vt., were at their camp in Grafton over the holiday.

Mrs. Abbie Littlehale is spending several days with her daughter, Ida Wight.

The Annual Meeting of the Larger Parish was held at the church in Newry Friday afternoon.

Following is the program given Memorial Day by the Head of the Tide school:

America, School  
Playlet: Planning the Party,  
Recitation: Bed in Summer,

Elaine Vail  
Recitation: June, Leona Tripp

Play: The Downfall of "High Cost of Living," School  
Recitation: The Friendly Cow,

Vada Enman  
Recitation: My Shadow,

Luella Taylor  
Recitation: Flowers for the Brave,

Rodney Hanscom  
Song: Yankee Doodle, Amy Bennett, Leona Tripp, with Elizabeth Wight at the organ.

Recitation: Apple Blossoms,

Amy Bennett  
Recitation: On Many a Slumbrous Hill,

Richard Bennett  
Song: Auld Lang Syne, School

BEAR RIVER GRANGE  
CHILDREN'S NIGHT

The meeting of Bear River Grange last Saturday night was called to order and after a short business session Grange closed without form and about 60 children marched in. Songs, "Come Thou Almighty King," "Old Black Joe," were sung by the entire group and a Welcome given by Master Paul Wight.

Sunday River School gave a playlet entitled, "The Cook says 'Yes'." Master Carol Bean sang "The Farmer in the Dell."

Hanover School opened their part of the entertainment by singing two verses of "America." They then presented "A Pageant of the Countries."

Head of the Tide School presented their entertainment which had been given at Newry on Memorial Day. Following this the seats were moved back and the children enjoyed games.

Refreshments of ice cream, cake and saltines were served. During the program Miss Carrie Wight told the children a story.

Something interesting is to happen in Bear River Grange in the near future. Watch for more about it.

"The Mexican Bean Beetle did a lot of damage last season. Observations indicate that the beetles prefer lima beans, and it might be worth while to plant a few of these as a control measure," says John H. Hawkins of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station.

## NEWRY CORNER

Bear River House opened to the public last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Livingstone of Berlin were in town Sunday.

Children's Night was observed by Bear River Grange Saturday night with a large attendance.

North Newry Farm Bureau will meet Saturday, June 8, with Mrs. Percy Walker. Subject of the meeting is Good Nutrition for the Family and will be in charge of Miss Ruth Callaghan. Those on the dinner committee are Mrs. Percy Walker, Mrs. Arnold Eames and Mrs. Robert Davis; those on the cleanup committee are Mrs. Sumner Davis, Mrs. Mark Arsenault and Mrs. Roy Eaton. This meeting will be on daylight saving time.

Mrs. Frank Arnold, Albert and Florence Arnold of Portland, spent several days the past week at the home of M. E. Arsenault.

A severe electrical storm passed over here Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hunt and daughter of Portland were in town Memorial Day.

## Albany—Waterford

## Deferred

Reconstruction of one half mile of road, from the Albany Town House to the W. I. Beckler turn was started this week.

A nurse from Lewiston is caring for Haywood, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lord, who has been very sick with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Machia and children of Bethel were evening callers at Ernest Brown's recently.

Chester Holt is working on the road which is being built near Charles Hersey's.

George Mills of Lovell swapped horses with Walter Lord Monday.

Donald Green, a senior from the University of Maine, spent the week end with relatives in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sanderson from Stoneham, Mass., are spending two weeks with relatives and at their camp on the Five Kezars.

Fred McAllister is working with his team for C. M. Fullerton.

## UPTON

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Tucker and family of Needham, Mass., spent the holiday and week end at their cottage.

Samuel D. Lewis of Newport, N. H., has finished his new camp and returned to his home.

Miss Myrtle Pratt of Gorham Normal School was here over the week end.

Ralph Sturgis has finished sawing lumber in Grafton and returned to Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Judkins and Mrs. Lila Barnett served lunch at the Pythian Sisterhood meeting at Errol Tuesday evening.

H. W. Whitney attended the medical clinic in Boston last week. He has to go to Rumford to see Dr. McCarty one day this week.

Mrs. W. L. Sargent is still quite poorly.

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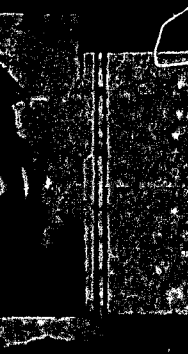
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Jane Gladys Linton  
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## BETHEL NEEDS

More and Better Sidewalks—winter  
and summer,  
Rural Fire Protection,  
Night Watchman—All the Year,  
Enforced Traffic Rules,  
Australian Ballot System for Town  
Meetings.

## CITIZEN'S 40TH ANNIVERSARY

—Continued from Page One—

The Bethel Manufacturing Com-  
pany's plant was a busy place, and  
the mill at Skillingston was thriving  
under the ownership of J. P.  
Skillingston. The Virgin mill at South  
Bethel employed from 15 to 25  
hands, and the J. A. Thurston mill  
at North Bethel was turning out  
dowels and other hard wood prod-  
ucts. Gould Academy, established  
nearly 60 years before, occupied a  
prominent place in the village life,  
although its present "golden age"  
was an ideal considered beyond  
realization.

A goodly list of advertisers  
greeted the readers of Vol. I—No.  
1. It is pleasing to note that one  
advertiser in that issue has con-  
tinued through all these years—  
telling the same story and operat-  
ing under the same name, E. E.  
Whitney & Co. Besides some for-  
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carried messages for the following  
local concerns:

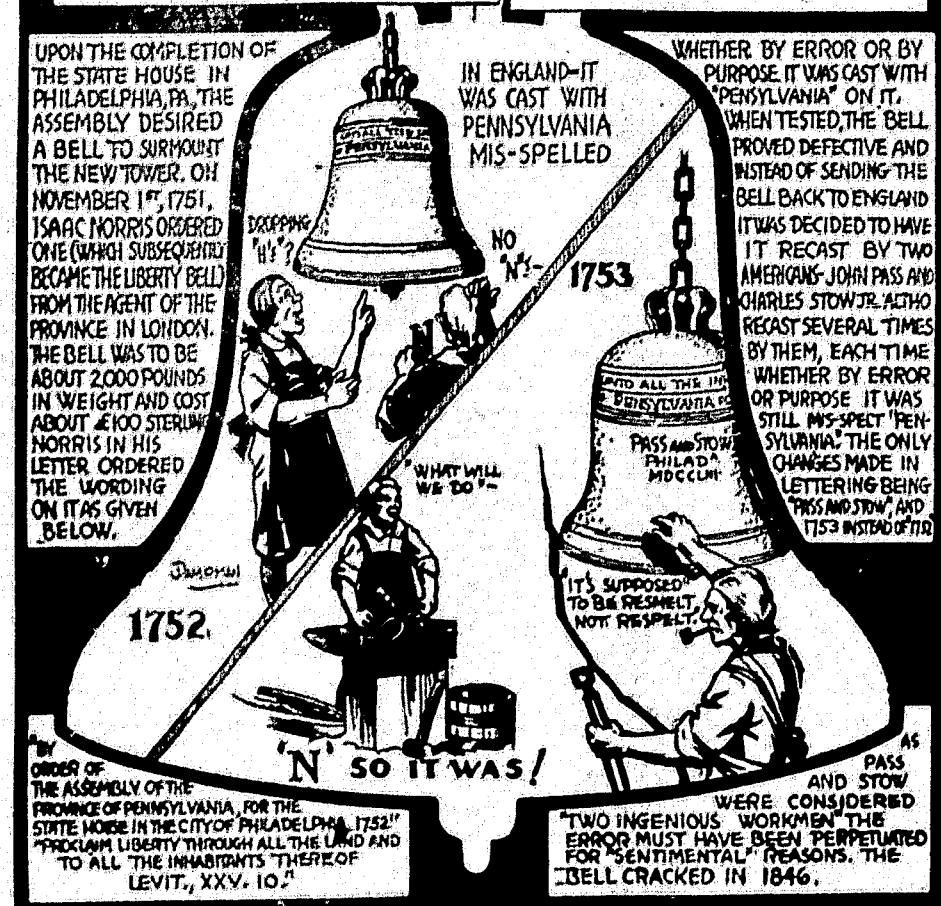
H. C. Barker, doors, sashes, win-  
dow blinds.  
Goddard Bro's, burial caskets.  
L. A. Hall, tonsorial artist.  
Miss L. C. Hall, art goods.  
C. S. York, photographer.  
C. L. Davis, general trucking and  
dealer in coal and wood.  
N. F. Brown, hardware.  
Bethel Chair Co., furniture.  
E. H. Young, stable furnishings.  
S. N. Buck, insurance and real  
estate, bicycles.  
Fred I. Farwell, rubber stamps.  
E. E. Whitney & Co., marble and  
granite workers.  
C. M. Marshall & Co., boots and  
shoes.

Bethel House.  
R. E. L. Farwell, groceries.  
J. E. Bryant, groceries.  
Irving Kimball, photo artist.  
G. P. Bean, general merchandise.  
J. C. Billings, carriages and  
stagehops.  
Hartings Bros., hardware.  
C. E. Benson, general merchan-  
dise, McCormick mowing machines.  
Ceylon Rowe, clothing, general  
merchandise.  
Wiley's Drug Store.  
Woodbury & Purlington, general  
merchandise.  
A. D. Ellingwood, job printing.  
Miss E. E. Burnham, millinery  
and fancy goods.  
F. L. Fowler, jewelry.

The first three years of The  
Bethel News were in the old eight  
column style. This was followed  
by a six column format which was  
continued until two years ago when  
the present tabloid form was adopted.  
In 1906 The Rumford Citizen  
was established by E. C. Bowler,  
who published the News from 1897.  
This paper was printed in the News  
plant, but an office was maintained  
at Rumford. The following year  
the News and Citizen were com-  
bined as The Oxford County Cit-  
izen.

The Citizen has survived these  
40 years only through the loyal co-  
operation of its townspeople—  
readers and advertisers—for which  
the present management is deeply  
appreciative. It is plainly appar-  
ent to those familiar with country  
newspaper problems that with even  
slightly less hearty support the  
production of a paper of the Cit-  
izen's standard would be impossible  
in Bethel.

## Stuff'n' Dates by Ned Moore



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## ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

Happenings That Affect the Dinner  
Falls, Dividend Checks and Tax  
Bills of Every Individual. National  
and International Problems.  
Inseparable from Local Welfare.

For all that is written and said to  
the contrary, business today is as  
much—and perhaps more—afraid  
of inflation than it was two years  
ago when the clouds of currency  
manipulation filled the financial  
sky. One indication of business' at-  
titude is the fact that the Adminis-  
tration has twice within a late  
week attempted to assure indus-  
trialists that inflation is not antici-  
pated, that a sound currency will  
be maintained.

Secretary Morgenthau's recent  
speech was designed to quell in-  
ternal fears as to the stability of  
the dollar, and to point out that  
the Treasury was ready and willing  
to co-operate with other nations in  
achieving monetary stabilization.  
That represents a rather decisive  
change from the Administration's  
past stand—it will be remembered  
that the President "wrecked" the  
World Economic Conference by  
flatly refusing to consider stabiliza-  
tion.

Second event was the President's  
own speech before Congress in  
vetting the bonus—it represented  
the first time that a Chief Executive  
has appeared before the legislative  
branch to explain a veto, ask that  
it be upheld. The President cov-  
ered much larger issues than the  
bonus in his talk—which was ex-  
tremely well received, was praised  
by conservative newspapers which  
dislike most of his speeches—and  
pledged the Administration to op-  
pose the promiscuous issuing of  
greenbacks. Keynote of all he said  
was monetary stability.

Even so, business is not con-  
vinced, and a good many level-  
headed observers can still see the  
ominous spectre of inflation in the  
horizon. Main reason is the so-  
called "Omnibus Banking Bill,"  
which has passed the House, is now  
pending in the Senate.

Proponents and opponents of the  
bill agree on one thing: If it is  
passed, the banking set-up of the  
nation will be almost entirely revo-  
lutionized. At the present time,  
the power to control the flow of  
the country's credit and currency  
rests largely in the hands of the  
governors and directors of the 12  
Federal Reserve Banks. The bill  
provides that this power shall be  
taken from these governors, given  
to a Federal Reserve Board whose  
members shall be appointed by the  
President. The issue, then, in the  
words of News-Week, is this:  
"Should power over the controlling  
mechanisms be placed with a Fed-  
eral Reserve Board subject to polit-  
ical domination? Or should this  
power go to an independent com-  
mittee—a Supreme Court of Bank-  
ing?"

That issue is arousing one of the  
bitterest verbal battles of years  
among experts. Administration  
men, such as Federal Reserve Gov-

ernor Eccles, who fathered the bill,  
feel that the political domination  
phase of the matter is less impor-  
tant than it seems, that the creation  
of a Federal Reserve Board is high-  
ly desirable. Opponents of the bill  
agree with Winthrop Aldrich, head  
of Chase National Bank, largest  
commercial institution in the coun-  
try, who recently said: "This is  
not liberalizing the Federal Re-  
serve. It is making it into an in-  
strument of despotic authority."

Now for the inflation possibilities  
of the bill. According to Mr. Aldrich,  
it grants the power to the proposed  
Federal Reserve Board to force on  
the Federal Reserve System an in-  
definite amount of any kind of gov-  
ernment securities; to fix rates of  
discount and interest charged by  
the Reserve Banks; to lower the  
standards fixed in the law describ-  
ing the quality of "paper" the Re-  
serve Banks may buy or accept as  
collateral; to dilute currency; to  
force the banks to engage in any  
open-market security operations it  
deems advisable. Under the last  
provision the Board could force the  
banks to purchase government ob-  
ligations in unlimited quantities  
directly from the treasury.

It is obvious then that passage  
of the act would give an Adminis-  
tration-controlled Board unquali-  
fied power to force credit expan-  
sion—which is nothing more or less  
than inflation. Under the terms of  
the act, the Treasury could sell  
new securities to the banks when-  
ever it became pressed for funds,  
whether or not income and the  
state of the currency justified their  
being purchased. Old-time bankers  
and financial commentators liter-  
ally shudder when they think of  
the possibilities inherent in that.

It is difficult to forecast whether  
or not the Act will pass with the  
features conservatives think are  
objectionable still in it. It seems  
certain, however, that the bill will  
be modified to some degree in the  
Senate, due principally to Senator  
Glass, who is a hard-money man  
from 'way-back, hates and fears  
any and all kinds of inflation, dis-  
trusts Mr. Eccles' economic views.

Last year, new residential hous-  
ing construction totaled \$108,000,  
000. This year is expected to  
reach \$250,000,000.

Forty per cent of the "housing  
market" is in five states—New  
York, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Ohio,  
and California, and more than 75%  
of prospective business is in one-  
third of the states.

FHA estimates that a backed-up  
need now exists for 1,000,000 to  
1,500,000 new homes.

## P. T. A. PROGRAM

The meeting of the Parent Teach-  
er Association will be held at the  
Grammar School, Monday even-  
ing, June 10, with the following  
program:  
Saxophone Solo, Earle Palmer, Jr.  
Reading, Marjorie Flah  
Violin Duet,  
Madlyn Dudley, Elizabeth Lyon  
Vocal Solo, Arthur Dudley

## NEWS OF THE WEEK

—Continued from Page One—

is finding comfort in Britain's atti-  
tude toward a Western European  
air pact. In a secret conference last  
week Leopold von Hoesch, German  
Ambassador at London, presented  
Sir John Simon with a draft treaty  
eagerly for details, but they waited  
in vain. Sir John hinted at an im-  
pending international air confer-  
ence, but saw no reason for inter-  
rupting Britain's plans for air ex-  
pansion. Anthony Eden, 37-year-old  
Lord Privy Seal, insisted that Brit-  
tain have air parity with France,  
Italy and Germany. He held that  
she could not depend on other  
powers to defend her if she "got  
into trouble."

## PASTOR REWARDS CHIEF FOR DOING DUTY

Orange, Texas—The Reverend  
Edgar Eskridge hated sin with all  
his 230 lbs., and 6 feet 2 inches.  
Recently this crusading preacher  
baptized Police Chief Edward  
O'Reilly, "the one officer in our  
county doing his duty." Last week  
Rev. Eskridge, who can write his  
name with a pistol, led a raid on  
the Silver Slipper night club. He  
toted two guns and a Texas Rang-  
er's badge. Chief O'Reilly saw his  
duty and did it. After arresting his  
pastor for impersonating an officer  
he recommended the charges be  
dropped. But the preacher's pride  
was hurt. All night he drove his  
car aimlessly about, brooding. Next  
day in Orange, he spotted Chief  
O'Reilly talking with a friend. From  
his car the minister aimed a shot-  
gun. O'Reilly never knew who killed  
him.

## JAPAN FROWNS AGAIN ON CHINA

Tientsin, China—Two weeks ago  
Chinese irregulars resisted Japan-  
ese troops in one of their forays.  
The Japanese killed 300 of them.  
But the slaughter failed to appease  
Japan's militarists. Last week,  
War Minister Hayashi made an in-  
spection trip in Manchukuo. Anti-  
Japanese intrigue in the demilitar-  
ized zone south of the Great Wall  
displeased him. And once more Ja-  
pan made demands on China. They  
insisted on immediate dismissal of  
Yu Hsueh-chung, Hopei Provincial  
Governor, for his anti-Japanese ac-  
tivity. For emphasis, 200 Japanese  
troops invaded the courtyard of  
Yu's Tientsin residence and fired  
six blanks from a trench mortar.  
Other demands include dismissal  
of the Mayor of Tientsin and with-  
drawals from Northern China of the  
Chinese Nationalist Party. More-  
over, General Minami claimed  
the right to pass on appointments  
of all officials in North China and  
ordered the surrender of Chinese  
accused of murdering two pro-Ja-  
panese newspaper publishers. Said  
Japan's Colonel Sakai, "Should the  
Chinese authorities find difficulty  
in carrying out measures designed  
to comply with Japanese require-  
ments, they can leave them alone.  
We will carry them out." General Yu  
gave way. He moved his small  
garrison 100 miles southwest to  
Paotingfu and hoped that the latest  
"incident" would blow over.

## WHAT OF THE NRA?

Washington, D. C.—With the NRA  
a dead issue so far as major indus-  
try is concerned, large employers  
generally have voiced their willing-  
ness to retain the outlawed code  
provisions as to wages and working  
hours. Few, indeed, are the in-  
stances where advantage has been  
taken of the open chance to reduce  
wages, cut down working hours,  
upset labor agreements. Prices  
tumbled in many directions. Re-  
ports from New York indicate that  
the big stores sold the popular  
brands of cigarettes as low as 64  
cents a carton. They cost the stores  
\$1.08, of which 60 cents is govern-  
ment tax. Prices were adjusted up-  
ward, however, as soon as the first  
flurry subsided. Industry awaits the  
President's plans for a substitute  
for the blue eagle.

THE SAN DIEGO EXPOSITION  
San Diego, Calif.—At 11 a. m.,  
May 29th, Frank A. Belcher, pres-  
ident of the California Pacific In-  
ternational Exposition, turned a  
key in a golden lock. Over Cabrillo  
Bridge marched a Marine Corps  
detachment. Halfway round the  
world the mammoth French liner  
Normandie flashed radio greetings.  
The Exposition was on. Within the  
first half hour, nearly 25,000 visit-  
ors jammed the fair ground's 300

acres. During the Exposition's  
days, President Belcher expects mil-  
lions more. The art committee  
spent months in assembling an im-  
mense exhibit ranging from Span-  
ish primitives to American mod-  
erns, and representing loans from  
every important museum in the  
country. There are daily concern  
industrial exhibits, and sideshows  
—the amusement zone alone holds  
\$1,500,000 worth of attractions. Ev-  
erything will be done to make the  
San Diego exposition worthy of its  
famous predecessor in 1915.

## PRINCE PARDONED

Baldwin Park, Calif.—Something  
even an elephant forgets. Last  
week at the Al G. Barnes Cir-  
cled training grounds Joe Reed and  
Frank Schubert rehearsed ele-  
phants for a forthcoming movie.  
Two of the giant pachyderms sud-  
denly forgot their training, broke  
out of line. One of them, Prince,  
found his trainer in the way. Prince  
picked up Reed in his trunk and  
threw him 15 feet, then gored him  
fatally with his huge tusks. Before  
a coroner's jury two days later  
other keepers plead for Prince's  
life. In consideration of his good  
record, the jury returned a verdict  
of death by accident, saving Prince  
from a murderer's execution.



Now that the Governor's Flaming  
Party is over and the visiting  
guests have departed to their re-  
spective parishes, it may be well  
to sum it all up—not as a social  
success for it most certainly was  
—but as a venture that should  
prove worthwhile to the State as a  
whole.

On the red ink side of the ledger  
we have the cost of the affair,  
which was about equal to an ad-  
vertisement appearing in one issue  
of a popular magazine.

What did we get in actual ad-  
measurable returns from this cost?  
While a thorough summing-up  
all the newspaper space, the new-  
spapers, the newsreels, and the  
radio publicity that emanated from  
Moosehead during the proceedings  
will not be possible until the re-  
turns are all in, it is safe to say  
that it will run into six figures.

We do know that just one pic-  
ture of the thousands taken was  
sent out by a syndicate to 10  
newspapers in every section of the  
country and Canada. We also know  
that over 50,000 words of news-  
per copy went singing over the  
wires to nearly every leading paper  
on the Atlantic seaboard. There  
was the radio program that  
went out over one of the country's  
better-known networks. Summing  
all up, it will reach a staggering  
figure which would just about bal-  
ance the State of Maine if it  
were to be paid for at regular com-  
mercial rates.

An intangible asset of the affair  
that should have a cumulative ef-  
fect was the presence among the  
guests of many leading figures  
of the political, newspaper, and  
fields of activity. These men, many  
of whom had never been here be-  
fore, carried home with them a pic-  
ture of a beautiful State which they  
transmitted to their friends in  
large cities.

Too much credit cannot be given  
to Governor Brann who originated  
the brilliant idea nor to Com-  
missioner George Stoble who  
whose direction the entire party  
functioned. Faced with almost  
unsupportable difficulties, Mr. Stoble  
and those working under him made  
everything running as smoothly as  
a fifty dollar watch and amazed  
their every wish was gratified.

The whole thing was a success  
idea cleverly executed and should  
bear repeating in the future.

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is the time to have an  
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## Baseball

BETHEL DEFEATED  
IN TWO GAMES

Woodstock 7—Bethel 4  
On Thursday, May 30th, Bethel met their first defeat at the hands of Woodstock after a hard fought game. Robert Chapman, popular Bethel catcher, hurt his hand and still under the care of a specialist in Boston. Quimby pitched well but Bartlett was unable to hold the hitting of Goddard and Partridge featured for Bethel while Dudley and Deshong were the lumberjacks for Woodstock.

| BETHEL           | ab        | r        | h         | po        | a        | e        |
|------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|
| Stanley, cf.     | 5         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 0        | 0        |
| Goddard, 2b.     | 5         | 1        | 4         | 2         | 2        | 0        |
| Bartlett, 1b, c. | 5         | 0        | 1         | 7         | 1        | 2        |
| Dudley, lf.      | 4         | 0        | 0         | 1         | 0        | 0        |
| Briggs, rf, 1b.  | 4         | 0        | 1         | 6         | 0        | 0        |
| Morgan, 3b.      | 3         | 2        | 1         | 2         | 3        | 0        |
| Myers, ss.       | 2         | 0        | 1         | 1         | 1        | 1        |
| Chapman, c.      | 2         | 0        | 1         | 5         | 0        | 0        |
| Partridge, rf.   | 2         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 0        | 1        |
| Quimby, p.       | 4         | 1        | 1         | 0         | 2        | 0        |
| <b>Totals</b>    | <b>36</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>14</b> | <b>24</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>4</b> |

WOODSTOCK  
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Whitman, lf. 5 1 0 6 0 0  
Morgan, 3b. 4 0 1 0 0 0  
Farrington, cf. 4 1 2 1 1 0  
Dudley, rf. 3 2 2 0 0 0  
Deshong, c. 4 0 2 1 1 0  
Hathaway, 1b. 4 0 0 9 0 0  
Hathaway, 2b. 4 1 1 2 1 2  
Stowell, p. 4 1 1 0 3 0  
Cummings, 2b. 3 1 1 2 1 0  
**Totals** 35 7 10 27 7 2

Two base hits—Goddard, Partridge, Myers, Quimby, Dudley 2, Farrington. Sacrifice hit—Myers. Home bases—Stanley, Goddard, Morgan, Myers, Partridge, Chapman, Whitman, Morgan, Farrington. Base on balls—Quimby 3, Stowell 1. Strike outs—Quimby 6, Stowell 1. Left on bases—Bethel 8, Woodstock 7. Hit by pitcher—by Stowell (Morgan). Double play—Morgan-Briggs-Cummings-Hathaway.

Norway 12—Bethel 3  
On Tuesday night Norway took an abbreviated game from Bethel 12-3 score. MacMillan, catching his first game, did a good job but was unable to judge the batters, so numerous costly errors aided the score for the opponents. Partridge's hitting, which included a home run, double and single in three tries, and Scribner's fielding in left field, were outstanding. For Norway the hitting of Coffin was extra good.

| BETHEL         | ab        | r        | h        | po        | a         | e        |
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| Stanley, cf.   | 2         | 0        | 2        | 0         | 0         | 0        |
| Browne, cf.    | 1         | 0        | 0        | 0         | 0         | 0        |
| Goddard, 2b.   | 3         | 0        | 1        | 0         | 3         | 1        |
| Bartlett, 1b.  | 3         | 0        | 0        | 11        | 0         | 0        |
| Myers, ss.     | 3         | 0        | 0        | 0         | 2         | 1        |
| Morgan, 3b.    | 3         | 1        | 0        | 1         | 0         | 2        |
| Partridge, rf. | 3         | 1        | 3        | 0         | 0         | 0        |
| Briggs, lf.    | 3         | 1        | 2        | 3         | 0         | 0        |
| MacMillan, c.  | 2         | 0        | 1        | 3         | 0         | 0        |
| Whitman, p.    | 3         | 0        | 0        | 0         | 6         | 1        |
| <b>Totals</b>  | <b>26</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>18</b> | <b>11</b> | <b>5</b> |

NORWAY  
ab r h po a e  
Lovejoy, 3b. 3 3 2 0 0 1  
Morgan, 2b. 4 2 2 2 2 0  
Morgan, c. 4 0 0 8 0 0  
Coffin, lf. 3 2 3 0 0 0  
Morgan, 1b. 4 1 1 6 0 0  
LaFrance, cf. 4 1 2 1 0 0  
Morgan, 2b. 4 0 0 1 2 0  
LaFrance, rf. 4 1 0 0 0 0  
LaFrance, p. 4 2 1 0 2 0  
**Totals** 34 12 11 18 6 1

Two base hits—Partridge, Scribner, Kilgore. Three base hit—Hill. Home run—Partridge. Stolen bases—Stanley, Goddard, MacMillan, Lovejoy, Coffin 2, LaFrance.

ANDROSCOGGIN VALLEY  
LEAGUE SCHEDULE OPENS  
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12

Bethel's opening league game is at Bryant Pond on June 12 and then on Saturday, June 15, Bryant Pond returns the game. The following is the schedule of home games:

June 15—Bryant Pond  
June 19—Oxford (?)  
June 26—West Paris  
June 29—Norway  
July 6—Mechanic Falls  
July 20—Bryant Pond  
July 24—Oxford (?)  
July 27—Mechanic Falls  
July 31—West Paris  
Aug. 3—Norway

The following list of players was sent in for Bethel: E. Swan, R. Goddard, W. Myers, C. Quimby, S. Allen, P. Browne, T. Bartlett, W. Whitman, R. Hood, F. Scribner, D. Stanley, P. Daniels, W. Morgan, R. Clifford, R. Chapman, L. Partridge, G. Williams, A. Hinkley, L. Witter, P. Rolfe, E. Robertson, F. MacMillan, C. Smith, R. Browne, R. Young.

## SO. PARIS 9 - GOULD 7

Three Run Rally in 8th Spells Defeat—Gould Errors Costly

The Academy nine kept up their hitting ways by banging out 12 hits in Monday's game, but they were not enough to offset the runs scored by the visitors due to some costly errors.

Browne pitched a nice game, allowing nine hits which were quite well scattered but a number of errors in the pinches when two men were out gave South Paris the long end of the count.

Dick Young had a great day, banging out two doubles and playing a perfect game in the field, accepting five chances without an error. Browne connected for three hits, Lovejoy and Young two each, to lead the attack on Whitney, visiting pitcher.

Morse, visiting shortstop, was the only South Paris man to connect for more than one hit. He got two hits, both valuable as men were on bases.

| SO. PARIS     | ab        | h        | po        | a         |
|---------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| Russell, 1b.  | 6         | 1        | 12        | 0         |
| Millett, 3b.  | 4         | 1        | 1         | 2         |
| Stearns, 2b.  | 5         | 1        | 1         | 2         |
| Morse, ss.    | 5         | 2        | 1         | 5         |
| Witham, lf.   | 5         | 1        | 0         | 1         |
| Briggs, c.    | 4         | 1        | 10        | 2         |
| Thayer, cf.   | 5         | 1        | 1         | 0         |
| Hubbard, rf.  | 2         | 0        | 0         | 0         |
| Whitney, p.   | 5         | 1        | 0         | 1         |
| Gates, rf.    | 2         | 0        | 1         | 0         |
| <b>Totals</b> | <b>43</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>27</b> | <b>13</b> |

| GOULD          | ab        | h         | po        | a         |
|----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Browne, p.     | 5         | 3         | 0         | 6         |
| Smith, ss.     | 4         | 1         | 1         | 2         |
| Daniels, rf.   | 5         | 1         | 0         | 0         |
| Lovejoy, 2b.   | 5         | 2         | 3         | 0         |
| Robertson, 1b. | 3         | 0         | 10        | 0         |
| Young, 3b.     | 4         | 2         | 1         | 4         |
| Quimby, cf.    | 5         | 1         | 2         | 1         |
| MacMillan, lf. | 2         | 1         | 0         | 0         |
| Littlehale, c. | 4         | 1         | 7         | 1         |
| Wentzel, lf.   | 2         | 0         | 2         | 0         |
| Wight, 1b.     | 1         | 0         | 1         | 0         |
| <b>Totals</b>  | <b>40</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>27</b> | <b>14</b> |

Runs—Russell, Millett, Stearns 2, Morse, Witham 3, Briggs, Browne, Smith, Robertson 2, Young 3, MacMillan. Errors—MacMillan, Browne, Smith 2, Robertson, Russell, Millett, Morse. Two base hits—Young, 2. Stolen bases—Witham, Smith, Young. Sacrifice—Smith. Left on bases—South Paris 10, Gould 9. Base on balls—off: Whitney 7, Browne 6. Hits—off: Whitney 12, Browne 9. Hit by pitcher—by Browne, Witham 2, Briggs. Wild pitches—Browne 2. Passed balls—Littlehale, Briggs. Winning pitcher—Whitney. Losing pitcher—Browne. Umpires—Lurvey and Bean. Time of game 2:15.

Paul Browne, a member of the graduating class at Gould Academy, is recovering from a serious illness of pneumonia following German measles.

CUCUMBER MEETING WILL  
BE HELD IN SOUTH PARIS

A considerable acreage of cucumbers will be planted within a radius of 25 miles of Paris for the pickling factory to be operated by the Forest City Packing Company there next fall. Cucumbers is a new crop to most of the growers and several signers have felt that a meeting to discuss cultural practices will be worth while. Such a meeting will be held in the Fire Hall in South Paris on Tuesday evening, June 11, commencing at 7 o'clock, standard time. W. S. Rowe, Cumberland County Agent, who has had considerable experience with cucumber growers, will be the speaker. He will discuss such things as fertilizers, spraying, dusting, harvesting, etc. This is the only meeting in the county to be conducted by the Extension Service but all farmers who have signed to grow cucumbers are invited to attend.

BRIDGE PARTY IN HONOR  
OF MRS. MACFARLANE

On Wednesday evening, Miss Lucia VanDenKerckhoven entertained a group of friends at her home in honor of her sister, Mrs. Grace MacFarlane, who is spending several weeks in town.

Those enjoying a pleasant evening of bridge were Mrs. MacFarlane, Mrs. Ruth Carver, Mrs. Viola Lord, Mrs. Ruth Chapman, Miss Margaret Hanscom, Mrs. Elsie Hewey, Mrs. Dorothy Tucker, Mrs. Jane VanDenKerckhoven, Mrs. Doris Bryant, Mrs. Olive Lurvey, Mrs. Doris Lord, Mrs.

Elsie Davis, Mrs. Thelma VanDenKerckhoven, Mrs. Patricia Bennett, Mrs. Alberta Wilson, and Mrs. Winona Cutler.

Miss VanDenKerckhoven, assisted by Miss Julia Brown, served a delicious buffet lunch of chicken salad, sandwiches, cake and coffee. First prize for the evening was won by Mrs. Viola Lord, second by Mrs. Dorothy Tucker, and consolation by Mrs. Ruth Carver.

## NORTH PARIS

The schools gave a musical entertainment at Community Hall Wednesday evening, May 29. After the entertainment a Parent Teacher Association was formed with the following officers: Mrs. Erwin Ellingwood, president; Harold Stevens, vice-president; Miss Madlyn Bell, secretary; Mrs. Alice D. Coffin, treasurer. Ray Robinson, Robert Dennison, and Mrs. Helen Shaw of South Paris were present.

Mrs. George Blake, Everett Blake and Elmore Stearns of West Paris were in Dixfield calling on relatives Sunday.

Mrs. A. D. Littlehale visited her daughter, Mrs. Alva Hendrickson, and family of Woodstock part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Coffin and Mrs. Alice D. Coffin attended the recital of Mainente pupils at the William Bingham Gymnasium, Bethel, Thursday evening.

Hollis McGinley of Bangor was the week end guest of Harlan Childs.

Miss Esther Wheeler was home over the week end from her work at North Bridgton.

John Gibbs has purchased the lot where the C. L. Morrill buildings burned.

The meeting of the Community Club has been postponed this week, as so many are attending graduations.

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**BRYANT POND**

Franklin Grange held its regular meeting Saturday night with a large attendance. The ladies' degree team conferred the third and fourth degrees in a very creditable manner on a class of 14 from Franklin Grange and one from Norway. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served in the dining room.

Miss Dorothea Billings, who teaches at South Portland, Donald Hooper and Mrs. Laura Taylor of Portland, were the guests Memorial Day of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Billings. Mr. Hooper returned home and Miss Billings remained over the week end.

Clyde Brooks of Portland was the week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Billings went on a fishing trip to Upper Dam over the week end.

James Billings, Manning Arata, James Farnum and M. King were on a fishing trip over the holiday.

Claude Cushman and daughter Ida, Hanno and Beatrice Cushman went to Haines Landing, Thursday and Friday fishing.

Miss Ruby Willard, who has been teaching in Ryegate, Vt., returned home Saturday night.

Raeburn Hathaway of Needham, Mass., came Saturday night and his wife and baby went back with him Sunday.

Mrs. Jay Willard and two children are staying at Dr. R. F. Willard's at present.

Clayton Ring fell from his bicycle Sunday and broke his wrist.

Miss Marian Stevens, Alice Chandler, Alice Milton and Miriam Davis were camping from Wednesday night until Sunday night.

**Jolly Workers**

The Jolly Workers 4-H Club met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Mann, May 31, for a picnic supper. There were nine members present. The roll call was responded to by answering questions given out by the Club Leader. After the usual business meeting they sewed on holders. They tried their wienies and ate their picnic supper in the house, on account of the rain storm. The next meeting will be June 13. The Foundation of Punch, will be the subject matter.

**Deferred**

The operetta put on by the grade pupils Saturday night went off fine. There was a full house and quite a sum was realized.

Mrs. Jay Willard and children from Upton have been the guests of Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Willard.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cushman of Auburn were the guests of his mother, Mrs. Florence Cushman, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Billings, James Billings, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole, Manning Arata, Miss Marjorie Stevens and Miss Alice Chandler spent Sunday at Lake Umbagog in Upton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Porter and daughter Arlene of South Paris were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Noyes.

The Social Union met with Mrs. Fannie Crockett Tuesday afternoon. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Edith Abbott in two weeks.

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**Rowe Hill, Greenwood**

Mr. and Mrs. John Bryant were at Newton Bryant's Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Bryant visited her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Ring, Summer, a few days recently.

The young people had their Saturday night social at the Cabin last Saturday evening as usual with several visitors from outside.

Mrs. Mabel Dunham attended Grange meeting Saturday evening. Colby Ring is working for his brother, James, at Locke Mills.

Miss Hope Ring is at home on a visit from Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Packard of Portland were callers at Colby Ring's last Sunday.

Mrs. Stella Ring is helping at Aubrey Cummings', Bryant Pond, for a few days.

Margaret Bryant worked at William Morgan's, Bryant Pond, a few days last week. Mrs. Morgan has been suffering with ulcers in her throat.

The Sewing Circle met with Miss Norma Ring last Friday.

Charles Hobbs of Gorham was at Camp Sebawish a few days last week, planting.

Charles and Glenwood Libby are cutting pulp at Greenwood City for Penley Bros.

Edgar Dunham is cutting pulp at Greenwood Centre.

**Perkins Valley—Woodstock**

Myrtle and Pauline Thurlow, Mary Hendrickson and Maynard Fleming motored to Jefferson, N. H., one day last week, looking for a farm for their aunt, Mrs. Laura Harriman, who lives in Nashua, N. H.

Another set of farm buildings was razed by fire Sunday night, an old land-mark in town, known by us as the Corellus Kimball home in the Dunham neighborhood. We haven't learned the cause of the fire. The farm has been owned by a firm for several years. These buildings were the ones next to the Fred Beck buildings that were burned several months ago.

Billy Johnson and family of South Paris called to see his father, Will Johnson, Memorial Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hutchins of Portland were callers at Nelson Perham's, Sunday afternoon.

Abner Benson and son, Maurice Benson, and wife visited at Mellen Benson's in Conway, N. H., one Sunday recently.

Charles Silver and family visited John Flagg and family in Summer, Sunday.

**GROVER HILL**

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Whitman were: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hardie from Brockton, Mass., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams of Beverly, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. John Trefethen, Portsmouth, N. H. also came and joined the party.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Tyler and family from East Bethel were Sunday evening callers at Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Tyler's.

Miss Gwendolyn Stearns went to Bar Harbor Sunday.

Robert Wormell from Westbrook was in this section buying livestock one day last week.

Mrs. Laurence Lord and children from Bethel were calling on friends one day a short while ago.

Mr. and Mrs. James Goodrich from Portsmouth, N. H. were recent guests at Clyde L. Whitman's.

E. C. Jackson visited his sister, Mrs. N. A. Stearns, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Heaward from Chesterville, with their daughter, Mrs. Malcolm Avery, and two children of New York, called at W. H. Hutchinson's Wednesday of last week. They had been to take flowers to the family cemetery in Gratton for Memorial.

**WEST PARIS**

The Memorial Day exercises were held as previously reported. Although not largely attended by adults, more children than usual were present.

The baccalaureate service at the Universalist Church Sunday morning was very largely attended. The pastor, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, gave a very helpful message. A solo was rendered by Raynold Chase, and a duet by Helmi Cummings and Helen Gould.

Monday evening the Junior Class of West Paris High School tendered a banquet to the graduating class and their parents at Assembly Hall, School Building.

Mrs. G. A. Smith, Mrs. H. R. Tuell, Misses Ruth and Eva Tucker and Arthur Flavin were guests at the Chaplin-Devine wedding at the Universalist Church, Auburn, and reception at the home on Saturday.

Miss Ella Curtis, Lillian Ross and Mrs. Charles Barden were guests at the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Ross and little son of Bristol, Conn., are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ross.

**GREENWOOD CITY**

Mr. and Mrs. John Ring and family were in Lewiston on Monday. Miss Lenora Cole and Adam Waterhouse of Portland called on relatives here on Thursday.

Several from here attended the baccalaureate services for the West Paris High School at the Universalist Church at West Paris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Swan and family of Locke Mills were callers at Wilbur Yates' Sunday.

Miss Delphina Whitman was the week end guest of friends in Norway.

Sunday guests at A. M. Whitman's were Jerry Cox and mother of North Norway and Miss Leona Curtis of Tubbs District.

Mr. and Mrs. Lauri Tamminen and son of Yarmouth spent Sunday at George Cole's.

**SOUTH ALBANY**

R. E. Hill and Raymond Langway are working on the third class road. Miss Winola Kimball has finished work at Westbrook and is now at her home for a few weeks.

Herman Morse worked for Leon Kimball a few days the first of the week.

Rev. R. A. Brandon conducted the services at Albany Sunday evening, preaching a beautiful sermon on "Rural Life."

Roy Wardwell and son Arthur were in Bethel on business Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Harry Spring has been spending a few days in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Coll Flint spent the week end and holiday at their place at Hunt's Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Bean and Mrs. Harvey Jones spent Wednesday night at Camp Laycock and attended Memorial Day exercises at Norway.

Ivan Kimball and Herman Morse were in Portland Saturday night.

Merton Kimball was through his place Friday with his meat cart.

F. E. Scribner has had Robert Hill's horses to do his farming.

Mother: (who has a guest at dinner): Betty, don't talk with your mouth full.

Betty: But, mummy, what am I to do? When I talk with my mouth empty, you always say, "Betty, go on with your dinner."

**EAST BETHEL****Memorial Day Exercises**

Memorial Day exercises were observed as usual at the Church with Sons of Veterans, Relief Corps, American Legion, and the school children in attendance at the cemetery. The following program was given in the church.

March  
Song, America  
Prayer, Rev. P. J. Clifford  
Recitation, The Brave Soldier  
Richard Kimball

Recitation, Our Flag,  
Junior Bartlett  
Recitation, This is the Flag for Me,  
William Hastings

Exercise, Floral Offerings, Barbara Hastings, Virginia Hastings, Clare Tyler, Marilyn Noyes  
Song, Keep the Home Fires Burning, Albion Smith, Charles Knight, Raymond Holt

Recitation, For My Country,  
Lewis Curtis  
Recitation, True Soldiers,  
George Knights

Recitation, Bessie and Grandpa,  
Gertrude Curtis  
Recitation, I Know, Virgil Curtis

Exercise, One Country One Flag,  
Primary Room  
Recitation, At the Soldier's Grave,  
Pearl Merrill

Recitation, Go Children,  
Deborah Farwell  
Recitation, Our Flag,  
Shirley Merrill

Recitation, Barbara Fritchie,  
Natalie Foster  
Dramatization, A Man Without a Country,  
Grammar Room

Song, Memories of Auld Lang Syne,  
Charles Knight, Albion Smith  
Address, Rev. P. J. Clifford  
Song, Star Spangled Banner, All

East Bethel Farm Bureau  
The East Bethel Farm Bureau met Tuesday at the Grange Hall with Miss Callaghan as speaker.

Eighteen women and 17 children partook of a delicious dinner served by Gladys Tyler, Evelyn Harrington and Nannette Foster. Miss Callaghan spoke on Good Nutrition for the Home. Everyone enjoyed the meeting and gained some useful information.

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**PROBATE APPOINTMENTS**

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately:—

Frank J. Bennett, late of Greenwood, deceased. Jason R. Bennett of Lockes Mills, executor without bond, May 21, 1935.

Rena M. Lane, late of Upton, deceased. Ellsworth S. Lane of Upton administrator with bond, May 21, 1935.

Emma F. Mills, late of Bethel, deceased. Claude N. Mills of Portland, Maine, administrator without bond, May 21, 1935.

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**Middle Intervale, Bethel**

Robert Sanborn is spending of his vacation fishing.

Ray Cotton is spending a week with Walter Balentine. Several of the neighbors are preparing to plant cucumbers, which sale will be found in Paris.

Laurence Kimball is working the State aid road on Bloody S in East Bethel and his wife is weeding the Middle Intervale so children.

Jerome Smith is working Charles Stevens.

Ada Bean was home for week end from her work in Upton. The Gould Academy students in this vicinity are looking forward to graduation with much joy, and signifies a long vacation.

Misses Grace and Frances Carter and Catherine Seaton are making preparations for spending summer in the old A. M. C. place here.

L. C. Stevens and family Charles James and Catherine are in Livermore Falls and F. Thursday, Memorial Day.

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**Gold Daw**

By **Peter B. I**

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**CHAPTER XI**

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# Golden Dawn

By  
**Peter B. Kyne**

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AN reported to Stephen, somewhat depressed, because he returned, he thought, without a word of worth-while information. Stephen, however, thought otherwise. "I'll have to question Merton again," he decided. He for Miss Ordway. "Telephone Mrs. Merton," he ordered, "and tell her I wish she'd drop in here today soon. Tell her I'd like to report on her health."

"What are you going to do?" Merton asked. "I'll have to question Merton again, of course. I got to release her from the hospital. I set upon her in case of her adopted daughter. Otherwise she'll not talk."

When she arrives, Dan, you step into the nurse's office until I'm under control; then I'll tell you. I want you to take notes."

Merton fluttered into Stephen's consultation room forty minutes later. "Oh, Doctor Burt," she said. "I'm so glad you've sent for me. My insomnia is worse than ever. Oh, Doctor, do think I'm going crazy?"

"You are excited over nothing. You are in a highly nervous condition, of course, and until you settled down it would be useless for me to attempt to examine you. If you could have a little nap say half an hour on the couch in the next room, I'm sure you'd be awakened much refreshed."

"Oh, if I could only sleep half an hour, Doctor, if I only could. What else would it be?"

His command she lay down on the couch and Stephen placed a cushion under her head. Employing the appropriate method of inducing hypnotic sleep, Stephen had drowsy within three minutes; in minutes she had passed into a sound state and Stephen summed up McNamara, gave him a pad and pencil and silently indicated a resumption of his passive stroking of forehead and cheeks; in a monotonous tone he commanded her to answer all his questions, suddenly:

"Have you thought of your daughter, Penelope, of late?"

"I have," she said, "but I think of her as a beautiful face. No distress or lack will attend the thinking of you are with me, understand? I command you to think about her, remember her and to answer fully all my questions regarding her."

"Yes, Doctor."

"Did you and Mr. Gatlin want a baby and I couldn't have one?"

"Yes, Doctor. Her tone was peevish."

"How old was she when you were born?"

"About a month."

"Where did you find her?"

"The Infants' Shelter in San Francisco."

"Do you know who her parents were before you had decided to adopt her?"

"Yes, Doctor. A Captain and Mrs. Elliott."

"Why did the Elliotts abandon the baby?"

"The captain was killed by the Germans and his wife died in this childbirth."

"Do you remember what branch of service the captain was in?"

"He was a captain of cavalry."

"When you and Mr. Gatlin adopted the baby, did you have any written record of her parentage?"

"I had a letter from the manager of the Infants' Shelter. And a letter from the doctor who attended Mrs. Elliott at St. Mary's hospital, and some letters from old neighbors of the Elliotts."

"Did you get the letters from old neighbors?"

"Yes, Doctor. I was concerned about the baby's ancestry."

"And was it the best?"

"I do not know. It satisfied Mr. Gatlin."

"What has become of all the records pertaining to Penelope?"

"I burned them."

"Why?"

"To keep Penelope from getting them."

"Then she wanted them, did she not?"

"Yes, Doctor. She demanded them."

"When was this?"

"On her eighteenth birthday."

"How did it happen that she waited until her eighteenth birthday before demanding them?"

"Up until then she thought she was our own flesh and blood."

"Ah! Why did you burn these records rather than give them to Penelope?"

"I hate her."

"When you refused to give them to her, what happened?"

"She cried and laughed and screamed and attacked me. She said she hated me. Finally she fainted, and I had the maid put her to bed and lock her in her room."

"Did you give Penelope any information at all, at any time, regarding her parentage?"

"There was a slight hesitation. 'I lied to her. I wanted to hurt her because she wouldn't recognize my moral right to half of Theodore's estate. So I told her she had negro blood in her veins.'"

"What made you invent such a horrible tale?"

"Penelope is a decided brunette. I thought even if she did not believe me, my statement would create in her mind a doubt and a fear that would drive her crazy."

"What happened after that, Mrs. Merton?"

"In the morning she was gone."

"How did she go?"

"She made a rope of sheets and blankets."

"Have you seen her since?"

"No."

"Is she dead?"

"I do not know. I hope so."

Stephen turned to Dan. "Any questions?"

McNamara shook his head owlshly. "I can revive most of the record—perhaps all of it. The captain's record is in the army files; when he married, a notice of it appeared in the Army and Navy Journal; with that and what I can get out of the officers who soldiered with the captain, I'll get a pretty complete picture."

Stephen resumed his cross examination.

"Did you ever beat Penelope? Did you ever pinch her and slap her and lock her up?"

"Yes, Doctor."

"Wake up the fiend and send her home," McNamara roared.

"I will—as soon as I lock her up memory of Penelope," Stephen replied. He impressed upon her the fact that she was not ill at all. He commanded her very earnestly to forget that she had ever heard of him.

Then he awakened her, as McNamara departed, gave her a long look, felt her pulse, told her she was much improved and handed her some soda-mint tablets. She departed in a somewhat happier mood.

"Well," McNamara demanded, when he and Stephen found themselves alone again, "what do you think of that one for a hell-cat?"

"I do not think, Dan. We merely accept such people as we accept sunlight and rainfall."

"Do you think you'll see any more of this woman, Stephen?"

"I hope not. I hope the hypnotic suggestion I gave her is strong enough to overcome her acquired instinct for illness."

"Were the things she told you illuminating?"

"Very. I suspected most of them and she confirmed my suspicions. We know now that Penelope is of sound ancestry. Her father was not a neurotic. If he hadn't been a normal, gallant fellow and physically fit, he would never have become a captain of cavalry. He was killed in action. But we have arrived at a startling point, Dan—the reason for the mental shock that gave Penelope a disassociated personality."

"I didn't get that—at least not quite, Stephen."

"For some reason best known to themselves, the Gatlins kept from Penelope the fact that she was not their own flesh and blood. However, while we have definitely established the date of the mental shock and

the character of the shock, we have also established the causative factors leading up to the shock. Penelope had a most unhappy childhood. From earliest childhood she was the victim of bitter, rebellious thoughts. Then that baseball wrecked her nose. This was a mental and physical shock. The separation and divorce of the Gatlins was another terrible shock, because she lost Gatlin and there was nobody to protect her. And Gatlin's death was a severe shock. Then, as she emerged from childhood into maidenhood, the knowledge that her nose made her hideous naturally became an obsession with her."

"Now, Dan, by this time there was no further necessity for concealing the facts of the child's birth. Gatlin, dead, had left his entire estate in trust to Penelope, and on her eighteenth birthday she was free to do as she pleased. She could leave her hell-cat of an adopted mother now. She carried her own check book. The knowledge that she was not flesh and blood of the beloved Gatlin came as a terrible shock and with it, of course, came other terrifying speculations."

"More piling on of the inferiority complex," McNamara interrupted. "And she cracked under it. Then she made up her mind to forget Mrs. Gatlin—and she did."

"A clear case of auto-hypnosis, Dan. Now you've got to run down the record of our Penelope and that of her parents. She must have it and it must be proof of the most convincing character, because such proof is necessary if we are to restore to her her mental tranquility."

"Well," said Dan, "I'll be back presently with the girl's record, and then—"

"Out of the darkness into the sunlight, Mac."

"Well, the next one I find in the darkness will stay there," the chief growled.

The absence of the capable Lanny was a constant reminder to Dr. Stephen Burt of his sole experiment to date in a case of dual personality. He yearned with an alert scientific yearning to get to work on Penelope Gatlin, and when Dan McNamara appeared at the office one day he saw by the satisfied smirk on the McNamara countenance that all had gone well.

"Let me see the documents," Stephen demanded.

McNamara handed over the pile of papers.

"Well, you've done your full duty and have kept the police of various cities busy for a few days," said Stephen. "What do you hear from Lanny?"

"She'll be home next week. The skin graft on the girl's nose was a complete success."

"And how does the girl feel about the situation now?"

"She's crazy about her new nose and spends hours examining it in a hand mirror."

Stephen smiled. "Naturally, she would."

"Lanny says the girl's been her real self more than half the time since that first look."

"She would be. And now I'm going to add to her happiness by sending her this record, which I shall supplement with a report of my own on her case. She'll study it, and in this convincing proof that she is not what Mrs. Merton told her she was, she'll probably get well. These cases are simple, Dan. All you have to do is to discover the cause and remove it. Nature does the rest. She will have no more rebellious thoughts, because the despot can do her no further harm. Her black moods of depression will not come again; she is organically and mentally sound, the product of a sound ancestry on both sides of her family."

"But she knows she was an inmate of San Quentin. She'll remember she was a thief."

"She will, of course, feel great shame when fully restored to her normal personality. In her other personality, with her acquired instincts of morality and convention smothered in her subconscious mind, she had, of course, no sense of remorse or shame. I think that when I have explained this to her she will understand just what her mental condition was. And her fear that the world will discover her sorry record will, I feel certain, be alleviated by her knowledge that it would be impossible for anybody who knew her as saddle-nosed Nance Belden to recognize her as good-looking Penelope Gatlin."

"All I've got to say, young fellow," the admiring McNamara declared, "is that you're one hell of a smart man!"

Some two weeks later, Lanny walked in on Stephen. "Well," he declared acidly, "you've certainly taken your time about getting back on the job. You're looking mighty particular, Lanny. Happy?"

"Stevie, dear, I never knew there was such complete happiness in the world."

"Where's Penelope?"

"She's gone back to Paris—on a new passport."

"Well, well, well," Stephen chided her, "tell me things."

"Stevie, she's as lovely as a May morning."

"And the operation?"

"A phenomenal success. Of course," Lanny added, "she could never stand a sock on the nose."

"Just what is she going to do in Paris?"

"Close out her apartment and dismiss her servants."

"And coming back to San Francisco?"

Lanny nodded. "How do you stand Miss Ordway as your office nurse, Stephen?"

"Rather well, I'm sorry to say. She's very competent and much more tactful than you."

"And do you want me back, darling?" she queried.

"There you go, fishing for a compliment. Of course I do, but—it isn't necessary. You could come in once a week—"

"Not for a great many weeks, Stevie."

He glanced at her sharply. "How come, Lanny?"

Lanny's face was the color of old rose. "I'm going to have a baby," she whispered.

And then Stephen Burt stood up and took dear old Lanny in his strong young arms and hugged her. At last she was going to have her little slice of life!

"Of course," Lanny said presently, "you'll be the baby's godfather?"

He nodded. "Of course."

Three months passed—to Stephen Burt remarkable by reason of the fact that Mrs. Rudolph Merton did not call upon him. At last, to satisfy his curiosity, he telephoned Rudolph Merton to ask him how his wife was.

"I don't know," Merton replied complacently. "She's gone."

"Dead?"

"No such luck. She's gone to Southern California to join a new religious sect. A colony on the fringe of the San Bernardino desert with a prophet in command."

"And what are you doing about it, Mr. Merton?" Stephen asked.

"I'm subsidizing the prophet so he'll stay in business ten months longer. Mrs. Merton has deserted me, thank God, but she has to be away a year before I can secure a divorce on the grounds of desertion. The prophet comes high, but I can afford to pay for my fancies."

"I gather from your manner that you're not broken hearted."

"Such sorrow as I feel now would be delicious delight compared with what I'd feel if she decided to come back to me."

"I congratulate you, Mr. Merton. Good-by and good luck to you. You deserve it."

As Stephen hung up the telephone receiver, chuckling, Miss Ordway brought in his mail. In it he found a registered parcel that had been through the custom house, with duty prepaid on it. It contained the finest and most expensive combination stop-watch and timepiece he had ever seen, and a note that read:

"Dear Doctor Burt:

"I know it would not be at all fair for me to ask you for a bill for professional services, for I realize that what you did for me was done as one human being to another and quite without thought of financial remuneration. Moreover, I prefer to remain forever your debtor. You will never know what you have done for me. Christ, restoring life to the dead son of the widow of Nain, performed no greater miracle than did you in restoring life and happiness to my dead soul. I would try to thank you if words were not so pitifully inadequate to express the profundity of my gratitude. Will you not please accept the enclosed trifle as a token of that gratitude, and add one more debt to those already owed you by me?"

"It is not easy to learn to live with my secret, now that I have found it out. I am trying to regard

the past as one harks back in memory to a very serious illness. Some days, when I have achieved sufficient courage I am curious about my other self, evolved from darkness. There are blanks in my life. Perhaps you can fill them in. Perhaps you will not care to, knowing that they are better left blank. I do not think, however, that I was ever terribly wicked. If so, I have no recollection of it."

"Your grateful"

"Penelope."

"Old Mother Nature is speaking to Penelope," he soliloquized, and replaced his father's old watch with the one Penelope had sent him. "Give Nature a chance—give her an even break—and she'll prove herself the greatest physician of all."

After some consideration he wrote the following to Penelope:

"Come home and let me iron out the few remaining wrinkles so your life will be as smooth as you could wish. The watch is wonderful. Thanks and I think you are very wonderful, too. Love as usual."

"Stephen."

It occurred to him to tuck that last phrase in for good measure. Love—not merely the love of a man for a woman but the love that is a fine friendship—was, he knew, very necessary to Penelope. She must, he knew, be assured that in all the world somebody really cared. Nobody knew better than he the wreckage that kindness and love denied can make of human lives; never a day passed without leaving him evidence of this.

He was not getting quite his little slice of life. Money, success, the joy of accomplishment, professional standing, the respect of his colleagues, he had, plus some good friends and true. But he was lonely.

He decided not to dine alone. It would be far better to drop in unannounced on Lanny and Dan, take pot luck for dinner.

To be continued next week.

## STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-five, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said May. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of June, A. D. 1935, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Walter I. Beckler, late of Albany, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Alta Bird Meserve, executrix.

Lydia L. Brock, late of Hanover, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Ellery C. Park as Trustee for the benefit of Emily Bear Roberts, with remainder over to Gladys Bear Sassa, presented by Ellery C. Park.

William S. Frost, late of Hopkinton, Massachusetts, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Herbert L. Frost as administrator of the estate of said deceased, presented by Herbert L. Frost, son.

Lincoln A. Fuller, late of Upton, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Leslie L. Fuller, administrator.

John K. Gill, late of Bethel, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Florence P. Gill, administratrix.

Melissa A. Tuell, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition that the appointment of Charles F. Tuell as Trustee under the Will of said deceased, be confirmed, presented by the said Charles F. Tuell.

Witness, Peter M. MacDonald, Judge of said Court at Paris, this 21st day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-five.

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We invite all "listeners in" to seriously meditate upon last week's message (should it be his last talk) upon the subject of "Christian Martyrs." Please find a copy of the same in the Citizen of May 30th; and, especially, consider what loyalty to Christ should mean.

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### SCHOOL SAVINGS BANK REPORT

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| V              | \$1.00             | \$2.15         | 61 |
| VI             | 2.00               | 1.30           | 76 |
| VII            | 2.00               | 2.20           | 72 |
| VIII           | 3.00               | 2.15           | 61 |
|                | \$8.00             | \$7.80         |    |

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Grover, Gary York, Mrs. Moses Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gorman and daughter Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Robert York and son Raymond, spent the week end at Rangely.

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## GRADUATION EXERCISES

—BETHEL, LOCKE MILLS

The graduating exercises of the town of Greenwood will be held at the Town Hall, Locke Mills, at 7:30 Friday evening, June 7. There are 16 graduates.

The exercises of the town of Bethel will occur at William Bingham Gymnasium on Friday evening, June 14, when about 40 will receive diplomas.

## HANOVER

Week end guests at the Saunders' home were Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Daly and Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, all of Lawrence, Mass.; and Mr. and Mrs. Addison Saunders and son of Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Dickson entertained Sunday, as guests, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and daughter Doris, and Greenwood Eaton, all of Brockton, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stone and Mr. and Mrs. James Waldron of Bartlett, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurlow and daughter Gwendolyn of St. Petersburg, Florida, are at Sunflower Farm again for the summer.

Miss Georgia Abbott is spending some time at Virgil Abbott's, East Rumford.

B. J. Russell and family have moved back to their house here for the summer.

The Mispah Club of Past Chiefs was entertained last week by Miss Georgia Abbott, Mrs. Marjorie Cummings, and Miss Angie Grover at the Stratton home at Rumford Center.

A. R. Saunders is visiting his sister in Poland.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Russell entertained over the holidays, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Richardson and daughter, of Bangor.

## CHURCH ACTIVITIES

### CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister  
9:30 a. m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.  
Sermon subject, "Our Several Abilities."

### METHODIST CHURCH

P. J. Clifford, Pastor  
9:45 a. m. Church School. Mrs. Myrtle Lapham, Supt. Come and help on the Children's Day program.

11:00 a. m. Morning worship.  
Sermon: "What is that in thy hand?"

8:30 p. m. Epworth League. Last meeting until fall. Election of Kents Hill group. Make the last meeting the best.

7:30 p. m. Speaker, Ferdinand Flu, of Bradford, Mass. A message for Youth. Very interesting speaker.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.  
Services Sunday morning at 10:45.

"God the Only Cause and Creator" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 9, 1935.

The Golden Text is: "Known unto God are all his works from the beginning if the world." (Acts, 15:18).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "In the vast forever, in the Science and truth of being, the only facts are Spirit and its innumerable creations." (page 479).

Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m.

## Born

In Bethel, June 2, to the wife of Chester Ladd, a daughter.

## Died

In Boston, June 3, George Buxton formerly of Bethel, aged 23 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindall Blanchard of Abington were guests of Mrs. Blanchard's mother, Mrs. A. E. Herrick, a few days last week.

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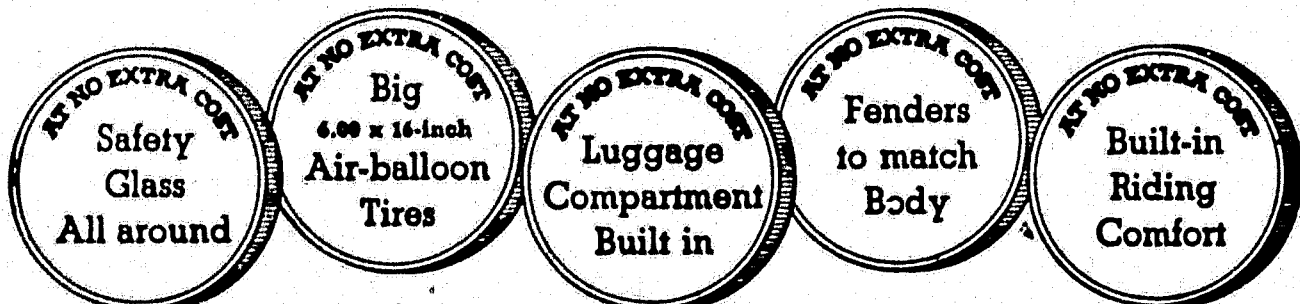
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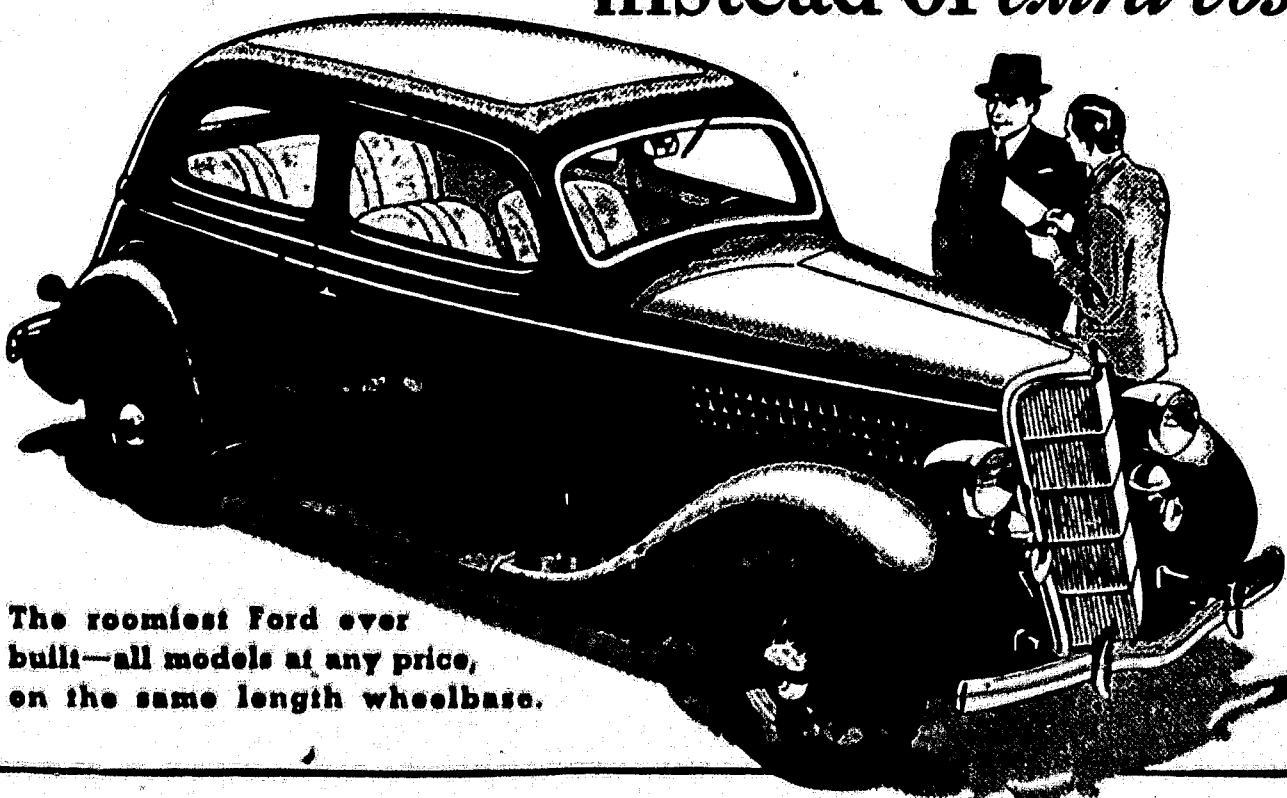
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